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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Todd O. Bolken

Serial No.: 09/878,302

Filed: June 11, 2001

For: ALTERNATIVE METHOD USED TO
PACKAGE MULTIMEDIA CARD BY
TRANSFER MOLDING (as amended)

Confirmation No.: 3287

Examiner: J. Mitchell

Group Art Unit: 2813

Attorney Docket No.: 2269-4717US
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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Mail Stop ISSUE FEE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This communication is filed in response to the Notice of Allowance mailed December 12, 2006, and sets forth Applicant's comments, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.104(e), on the Examiner's Statement of Allowable Subject Matter accompanying the Notice of Allowance dated May 18, 2005, and October 1, 2004.

In the Notice of Allowance dated May 18, 2005, the Examiner indicates:

[the prior art does not disclose or make obvious a method of forming a semiconductor card wherein a strip including substrate is connected to a frame and is placed in a molding assembly such that the substrate is forcibly moved to a

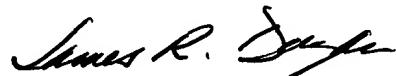
level different than the frame, molding a plastic body wherein the body includes wings extending outward from the package including all the limitations of the independent claim.]

In the Notice of Allowance dated October 1, 2004, the Examiner indicates:

[the prior art does not disclose or make obvious moving the substrate a distance of about 02-3 times the substrate thickness or the removal of the molding assembly by inserting pins into a downset throughholes including all the limitations of the independent claim.]

Applicant concurs with the reasons as stated by the Examiner insofar as they comprise a summary, which is exemplary and not limiting. However, the independent claims as allowed include other and different language than that specified by the Examiner, and the allowed dependent claims include other and further features and elements. Accordingly, the scope of the claims must be determined from the literal language of each as a whole, as well as equivalents thereof.

Respectfully submitted,



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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Sir:

Applicant submits herewith Part B - Fee(s) Transmittal for the above-captioned application and a Request to Apply Previously Paid Issue Fee to Issue Fee Required by New Notice of Allowance. Also enclosed is an Amendment Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.312(a) (8 pages), plus attached Replacement Sheet of Drawings (1 sheet) and Annotated Sheet Showing Changes Made (1 sheet); Formal Drawings (13 sheets); Comments on Statement of Reasons for

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Allowance (2 pages), and a Fee Addressee for Receipt of PTO Notices relating to Maintenance Fees (2 pages).

Applicant understands that no additional fees are required. However, if the Office determines that any comparison fees or other additional fees are required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any such fees to TraskBritt Deposit Account No. 20-1469. A copy of this Transmittal Letter is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

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Enclosures: Part B - Issue Fee Transmittal
Copy of Transmittal Letter
Amendment Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.312(a) (8 pages)
Replacement Sheet (1 sheet)
Annotated Sheet Showing Changes (1 sheet)
Formal drawings (13 sheets)
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of Allowance, with attached copy of Decision on Petition (total of 3 pages)
Fee Addressee for Receipt of PTO Notices Relating to Maintenance Fees (2 pages)
Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance (2 pages)

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